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Previous References
Ml 117-27, Sls 3, 4, 12 & 21

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Serial Nos. 21, 30, 31

Later References
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Ml 110-29 (1-9)
LB 99-M 4s 16-18

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Serial Nos. GMC.

Part B for March 1928

SUBJECT

Election of President & Vice President of Tumkur Municipality

1- ಸಂ ೨೨೫೪೭ ದಿ 13-3-1928 To The Compiler Mysore Gazette notifying the election of Mr K Ranga Iyengar BA LLB and Yajaman Siddappa as President & Vice President respectively

Release
24-3-28

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General and Revenue Secretariat — File No 117- of 1927

Serial No.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
Received on
25 JAN 1928
No. 4600

I submit for perusal a letter from Mr K V Ananthanarayanan Clerk of Rec'd. yesterday evening I sent a reply to the Officer that a letter on the subject had been sent to the D C earlier in the day & also repeated the purport of the letter

From the Contents of the D C's letter, the election has apparently been held this morning Also a Special Meeting is to be held next Saturday to decide whether the D C shd be President.

For perusal
Rg
24/1

First Member

Rg
24/1
(Now seen)

He may await D C's further reports
Dewan may be kept informed.

Rg
24/1/28

(Urgent
Handed to Mr Ananthanarayanan Clerk
Rg
24/1
All the papers are to be sent
Tuesday)

Rg
24/1

For perusal
Rg
25/1/28

Dewan

Rg
25/1/28

Rg
26/1/28

Rg
26/1

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Routine Notes.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE
Received on
26. JAN. 1928
Reg. No.

Memo No 94037 of 24 / 28 from the Dc, Tanjore, Sub? Grant taken over 166 of 24 / 28 from the Chairman, Tanjore Municipal Council, announcing the results of the election for the Office of the Chairman & Vice Chairman of the said Council

Forwarded
RB
Asst Secretary 26/1/28
Dewan

Submitted for orders
Bakeds Minutes, please study records
Sd/ Shortly
Secretary
Dewan
Dewan
Dewan

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Election rules

5 Of the three candidates for the office of President, two withdrew and only one candidate remained Under proviso (A) of Rule 5 of the election rules of the 26th November 1927, this candidate should be deemed to have been elected This is not a case in which the candidate has been elected and so the election cannot be contested by a petition under Rule 7 of the election rules The election of Mr K Rangaiengar has to be notified

Deemed to have elected

6 As regards the election of Vice-President, Mr Yejaman Siddappa has got 10 votes and there were only 12 members present at the meeting 9 of the members were absent and the question of notifying the election of the Vice-President may be taken up after the further report regarding the objections that may be filed are received in this office

7 It would perhaps be better to consult the Legal Remembrancer in regard to "A"

8 It does not seem that there has been a case in which a candidate has been elected, when the only day to that of there is only one candidate, he shall

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be deemed to have been elected under the proviso (a) to Rule 5 of the Central Election Rules as soon as thereafter he shall have completed 3 years of age as required by Rule 7

As regards the no of members present at the meeting, in which a quorum required, the provisions contained in the old rules (Election) requiring the presence of a certain no of non-officials have been removed in the new rules though it may be considered on account of the fact many non-officials from the election meeting, the present election may not be the confidence of the bulk of the non-officials, yet as under the rules the Commissioner has declared to have been elected, the election has perhaps the support As directed by the Member in para 2 of the note, the question as to change of procedure if any required may be taken up separately & action taken in the course

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10) There is also the question regarding the abolition of the Municipal Members in view of the changed relationship of Members in the Council. The result of the proceedings of the special meeting on the subject might also be awaited perhaps

(Sinclair) 30/1

11) For opinion on para 6 ante

Legal Remembrancer with Compts

31/1

12) As regards 4 in para 5, (mentioned in para 7). I am of opinion that the validity of the election of the Municipalities may be contested under rule 7

As regards para 6, it may be desirable to await the reporting &c

Gen Secy with Compts

6/2/28

13) Objection petitions have been received & the file is submitted above for orders

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* This has been done

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Serial No

27 Letter no S R 16 d 3rd Feb 1928. from the D.C Jaffna forwarding a copy of the proceedings of the meeting of the municipal council of Jaffna held on 1st Feb 1928 regarding the continuance of the post as President of the municipal council of Jaffna

1) The resolution to have an official President till the close of the current official year has been passed by the Jaffna Municipal council. The Deputy Commissioner states that the introduction of the official President is not calculated to benefit either matters and that the resolution of the council may not be approved

2) As the election of the President has been already held, the consideration of the present proposal will have to be postponed only if the election is held to be invalid under the provisions

AS 6/2/28 (Sinhalese)

7/2/28

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IMMEDIATE

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Records Notes

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16 James Scobie for perusal
two letters from the D.C., Tumbes,
regarding the Presidential visit
Tumbes Municipal Council have
in any/worked up that upbringing

First Minister RB 2

2 Seen - Please
17 Consular Dept
Secretary of
Mexico
Lee
HS

Ass. Minister
RB
U/2
Mexico
Ecuador
Mr Dodds
Mr HS
21
Mr HS Lambert 6/2
RB
6/2

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips the notes must be copied on slips pasted on this form

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Serial No.	
28	Letter No 8 SR 18 of 3rd Feb 1928 from the D.C Tumbur forwarding two objections petitions filed one relating to the election of the President & the other of the V President of the Municipality of Tumbur and with a note dealing with the objections
	9 The papers were sent to the Legal Remembrancer and he is of opinion that objections may be entertained and pass orders passed even though there is one candidate for the office of the President.
	10 The Deputy Comr reports that two objection petitions were received and the objections heard. He States that the objections put forward are not sound or maintainable

Note—Contin. sheet.

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Of all the objections urged, the only valid one is that the counsel did not elect the chairman of the meeting under rule 4 of the election rules. The contention of the Dy Comr that this rule applies when the Dy Comr is unable to preside is not tenable. The special procedure prescribed in this rule should have been followed the Legal Remembrancer may be consulted.

6/2/28

21 It seems to me that the provision contained in List 23 (3) seems to override the provisions of Rule 4 of the election Rules and the question with the Dy Comr who happens to be the President for the time being could not preside at the meeting for the election of a new office bearers President Committee seems to be appointed as above. The Legal Remembrancer may be consulted. If this election is

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approved it seems right the proposals to have an [illegible] of the Land President has to be referred (vide Land Revenue Secretary) 28/7/27

(vi) As Mr Land Secretary is absent from Station, note of Land Secretary for favour of opinion within Marked Land Secretary) 28/7/27

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Dl 4 (vii) For legal opinion vide File Land Revenue. The Land Secretary agrees with the D.C. and states that the question of appointment of the President Authority is regulated by some of the residents of the town is one for administration Board to decide

(viii) If the election being declared valid, the Registration has to be appointed as President perhaps This is for orders. In any event the election of the President must be held This is done. The appointment of a new President [illegible] arise

First Member) 28/7/27

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Seen. Direct that the Legal Remembrancer and record his opinion on the points as to whether there was any illegality in the election itself on account of [illegible] or any reasons stated in the minute and that the Chief Secretary may command a majority in the Council, the majority have power by law to veto the legal or unlawful power to veto the election, and decide to the majority of votes, or take a plebiscite (vote of votes) on the matter as was done in Wardha lately. The petitions and from the people [illegible] The forms and not one substantial portion of them possible.

17/1/22

Legal Remembrancer

17/1

Rule 9 of the Rules for election of the President &c., published on 26 11 1921, was in force from a long time. It was enacted, that, it must be taken where no President was appointed or elected.

Under Sec 28(5) he was appointed both as President during the interregnum period

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It is expressly mentioned in Sec 23(5) that the should perform the function notwithstanding anything contained in the notification or the rules of the constitution. Hence rule 4 has practically become inoperative by operation of Sec 23(5) in the case

(2) It would be better to amend Rule 4 in the light of the express provision of Sec 23(5)

(3) As regards the present case, I am inclined to agree with the view of S.E that the election of the President is not vitiated by any illegality

(4) Regarding the power of Govt to veto I am of opinion that Govt has powers to set aside any election if for any reason it deems it expedient to do so [vide the last sentence in rule 8]

Genl Sec 7
with Comptr

S.A
22/2/28

(5) Please see note of Secretary (Judicial) file

RJ
22/2/28

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General and Revenue Secretariat — File No 117 of 192

Serial No

Petition dd 3/2/28 from certain freeholders of Tumstun praying that the administration of the Tumstun Model Mine may be taken over by Govt

w/ Sh Members orders on the petition

Gen Sctd Mss may be taken into Consideration when drafting orders etc

Asst Sy's orders

The file has been submitted to the Law Secy

Include this also in the draft file &c

The file may now be sent to the Personal clerk to the Law Secy for ~~filing~~ placing these papers in the draft file

Ch 11/2/28

WD 15/2

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General and Revenue Secretariat — File No 117 of 192

Serial No	
I	Petition from certain Residents of the 6th Division of the Jamalpur Town praying that the administration of the Municipality may be taken over by Govt
	3rd / 5th Members orders on the petition
	C Gen Sect, for reference when submitting file and in draft G.O.
3622	The files regarding the election of the Vice President and Vice-President and the resolution of the Board requesting that the Dy Com may continue to be the President of the Municipality are with the Law Dept
	Ch 9/46 9/2 —
II	Petition from certain Residents of Jamalpur praying for that the management of the Municipality may be taken over by the Govt
	Members orders on the

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Serial No.

Petition from
Gen Lestr Expedali

The main file relating to this is to be with the Law Dy as stated in para 2 of the notes
Law Dy

Gal Secy
with compts

The main file was sent to the Law Dy for opinion in accordance with the direction of the first Member in his minute of 4/5/26 but that file does not contain the opinion of the Law Dy

The files are therefore returned for legal opinion
Law Dy

I have perused the objection petitions as well as the remarks of the I agree with the contention that the objections are not tenable.

As regards the prayer for an offence President being apprised of a purely question relating to the Administrative matter

Gal Secy
with compts

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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Jus Secy with Comptr Instr

39 Re Sum thus Immunes
file, please discuss with Law Secy
& DC Dhan he comes
Brethen the Situation can
be improved by Insistence (as
he did in Jodhpur) on abstr of
a Chief Mins before Secy of
Elected President Perhaps
this might be the best Solution

Lee
28/2

Let the Law Secy Instruct
Govts etc. their duties

Reg
28

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Secy

It is ascertained that the memorandum (Home 36 pr.) which was sent to Law Secy on 17-1-25, has been duly returned with the opinion to the General Secy
4-2-25

N B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips the notes must b elpsed, or slips pasted on this form

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ROUTINE NOTES

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DEWAN'S OFFICE
Received on
FEB 1928
Dy. No. 765

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
36284
9 FEB. 1928
LOCAL SELF GOVT BRANCH

R (3) The file is placed below The G.O. of 22nd Dec 1927 stating that the Govt are unable to approve of the election of the President & Vice President and directs a fresh election.

Will stand attention is also invited to Members & remarks in para 54 of the notes put in the file placed below.

General and Revenue Secretariat — File No 117 of 192 — 1384

H.G

Serial No

1) Rgt. Dawson's letter dated 4.2.28

2) I explained the exact position to the Dawsons. He is of opinion that these accidents are deplorable & prevent to the nearest of hairy an approximate (Inv'y and Court order in the case of Chickabore). They will [illegible] for approval

Just month

6863 20/2

18/2

3) Please see minute sheet yesterday I suggest we do not disturb the appt. of a Chief Office & of Asstt. Secretary, Appeals & Election Judges but Please Consider Law Dept. be kept Please Consider with D.G. Finance & in any case see that matter is disposed of by end of month

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21/2

4) Please put up with the minute to Hon'ble Minister

Hon'ble 21/2

5) Submitted with the minute as desired in Para 6 (a)

22/2

6) The file referred to in the Minister's minute had been sent to the Law Dept. It is learnt that it has just been returned to the Secretariat today

22/2

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Please

5) I understood from the Diwan that they were informally talked over in Council yesterday

6) [Draft instructions] The Municipality should be asked whether in view of the present situation it would not be best to have an official President for some time. An elected President without a Chief Officer is not likely to do very well & the Chief Officer costs a lot. I myself am against the Municipality in principle but I would not mind the experiment]

7) Please draft in accordance with the above

RC
23/

2

8) A draft in accordance with the above note would perhaps be legal after the Government order on the validity of the elections on which a report has already been received

9) A draft G.O. is submitted for consideration

Chief Secy

10) Before framing final orders on the validity or invalidity of elections I should like to get the opinion of the Commissioner. I have therefore pending receipt of his report

for Secy

28/12

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WD 6884—GPS—60,000—24-5-27

General and Revenue Secretariat — File No 117 of 192

Serial No

Draft slightly revised please [illegible] put up fair draft returned after approval by Minister

RB 25/2

Petition from the residents of Sumatra Town praying that the Sycamore may be appointed as the Presidency of the Municipality and if that were not possible the Treasury Post Master may be appointed as Chairman as in Shahabang and the administration carried on with a Chief Officer

First member's orders on the petition

Put up with file. Have many be discussed with the DC Dato K C 25/2

Typed draft is submitted.

25/2 Asst Member 25/2

Dom DC to have here discussion today about

P. T. O.

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2 I understand from the D C, Tanjore DT, that in the course of an interview he had with the Diwan, for which one of the subjects discussed was that after hearing the explanation given by the D C, the Diwan was pleased to say that [illegible] that he may be appointed [illegible]

First member —
Diwan

28/2

3 I think that [illegible] one [illegible] a thing to the people, a proposal of these kinds, and [illegible] Chief Secretary has [illegible] on a [illegible] office memo asked [illegible] from the D C [illegible] saw me & had [illegible] some [illegible] hours after the meeting [illegible] seemed agreeable to these [illegible]

Secretary

28/2/28

4 2 drafts are submitted for approval

3/3/28

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Serial No

DEWAN'S OFFICE
Received on
10 MAR 1928
Regd No 589

Hon'ble Member — RR 8/3/28

7074/8/3

It might perhaps be more expedient to address the DC & DO that Govt propose appg the elections but — desc that a Chief Offr shd be appd forthwith & ask him to submit a work (so that both Notifns may issue simultaneously) This procedure has precedents & so there shd be no delay. Otherwise, if there delay or objection, there will be difficulty

RR 9/3/28

Dewan.

RR 9/3/28

who (together with CW and the petition) on RR

It would perhaps be better if approval of the election and the same time Suggest the thoughts on desirability of having a Chief Offr otherwise delay will occur which is perhaps to be avoided

JM 10-3-28

Mr. Secretary

Hon'ble Member RR 13/3/28

13/3/28

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JM

General and Revenue Secretariat. | Gil File No 117 of 102 7

Serial No	
31	d 5547 dt 12/9/28 The Comptroller Notifies the appointments of Peons & Peon-dars of the new C.I. of Jamalpur d 5549 dt 12/9/28 To the D.C Hooghly. Calls for the views of the Md Cl in the matter of appointing a chief officer to the Council

B+
Sen. Rec. on chief officer

WD 6824—2272—60,000—24-8-27

Private Clerk to the Minister

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25-1-28
Trichinopoly
Dt 23rd Jany/28

Dear Mr Ranga Rao

On my return to Head-Quarters this morning I received the enclosed application delivered in my office yesterday evening by one of the Municipal Councillors. It is signed by seven members and contains a request for a special meeting to discuss the suggestion put-forward that the Deputy Commissioner may continue as the President for some time in view of the factions spirit in the Council under Section 26, clause 2,

at 7:35 pm yesterday
Rec'd 24/1/28

I have to-day issued notices
for a special meeting
to be held at 8 30 A M
on Saturday the 28th instant—
If it is not possible to hold
the meeting ~~on~~ to-morrow
as it may be difficult
to give notice to all the
Municipal Members
in time

2 As regards the
adjournment of the
election meeting arranged
for to-morrow I have
intimated to the members
who applied for the holding
of the special meeting that
at this late stage I
cannot adjourn the

election meeting it was open to these members to apply for the special meeting earlier. Further I may point out that the ~~suggestions~~ signatures all come from one party, viz, that of Mr. Venkatrao and that only two out of the seven applicants are elected members of the Council.

3 I beg to prefer the facts for the information of Government & the election meeting may be adjourned I beg to suggest that my ords

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may be perused and
instructions sent to me
at once so that I
may adjourn the
meeting

Yours Sincerely
J. Chamberlain
By Court

Ranga Rao Esq
Asst
Secretary to Govt
Bangalore

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To

The President,

Tumkur Municipal Council Tumkur

Sir,

We the undersigned Municipal Councillors request you to kindly convene a Special meeting of the Municipal - Council at the earliest possible date to consider the - following resolution -

" That in view of the strained feelings amongst most of the non-official members of the Council we resolve that the Govt be requested to appoint the Deputy Commissioner as President till the close of the Official year"

Further we request you to kindly postpone the election of the President and the Vice President till after this resolution is discussed

We beg to remain,
Sir
Your most obedient servants

R Venkata Rao
T Gurucnennabasavaiah
C Krishna Rao
Sanjeeviah
H Spencer
Laxshmaiah
Padmarajaiah

AD 23/1

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34514
26-1-28

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
TUMKUR DISTRICT

D.O No.

Dated Tumkur, 24th January 1928

Dear Mr Ranga Rao,

Referring to Mr Venkatesa Iyengar's demi-official letter No L 4209 of the 23rd January 1928, forwarding to me, copy of the representation made to the First Member of Council by certain members of the Tumkur Municipality, requesting that the election meeting fixed for to-day may not be held pending the discussion of a resolution to -- appoint the Deputy Commissioner as President, I beg to state that the letter reached me at 7 o' clock this morning i e, an hour before the time fixed for the election meeting At the same time, Mr Krishna Rao came to me and presented his application withdrawing his candidature for the office of the President The application is dated 20th instant I have already reported to you yesterday, that I received a similar application asking for the convening of a special meeting and that as the application was presented at a very late stage and could well have been presented much earlier, I declined to sanction the request for the djournment of the special meeting arranged for to-day to elect the President and the Vice-President I have arranged to hold a special meeting on the 28th instant, to consider the subject put forward by the members in question It was not possible to convene a meeting before the election meeting to-day, as there was not time enough to give notice, o such a meeting to all the members, so as to give every member of the -- Council, an opportunity of attending it I have fully -- reported on this matter in my letter of yesterday's date I told Mr Krishna Rao that I would consider the question of allowing the discussion of the motion at the loction meeting after considering the matter and absent in the sense

of the Council I asked him to attend the meeting neither he nor any of the signatories to the application except Rev H Spencer attended the election etc As the majority of the signatories failed to attend to-day's meeting ~~the question of discussing the subject~~ there was no need to decide [illegible] The members present however informally discussed the subject and the election petitioners contended that the motion brought forward by Mr C Krishna Rao and others might be considered on the 28th instant

I have separately reported to you the result of the election held to-day

Yours sincerely

[signature]

1/28

To

Rajasabhabhushana, K Crandy, Esq , B A ,

1st Member of Council,

BANGALORE

Respected Sir,

We, the undersigned Members of the Tumkur Municipal Council have sent the accompanying requisition to the President to hold a special meeting As the election of the President and the Vice-President is notified for the 24th instant, we request you to kindly ask the Deputy Commissioner to postpone the elections, till after this meeting is over

Tumkur
Jan 1928

We beg to remain,

Respected Sir,

Your most obedient servants,

R Venkata Rao

J. Gurucharanambayya

Sec 26 (2)

Sec 26 (2) abbles

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To

The President,

Tumkur Municipal, Council,

T U M K U R.

Sir,

We the undersigned Municipal Councillors request you to kindly convene a Special meeting of the Municipal Council, at the earliest possible date, to consider the following resolution:-

"That in view of the strained feelings amongst most of the non-official members of the Council, we resolve that the Government be requested to appoint the Deputy Commissioner as President till the close of the Official Year".

Further, we request you to kindly postpone the election of the President and the Vice-President, till after this resolution is discussed

We beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servants,

SUBJECT

Section
File No.
Serial No.
No.

Diary No of letter replied to...

General and Revenue Secretariat
( )
the 192

Date of issue.

Signed by

I am to state that it is open to the petitioners to move the matter before the meeting however with the approval under Sec 74 of the alternative

List of enclosures.

Copied by

Examined by

To

The DC Tuticorin

My dear Anantaraman,

I am sending herewith a copy of a representation made to the Hon'ble Member of Council by certain members of the Tuticorin Municipal Council requesting that, pending the discussion of their resolution regarding the appointment of the Deputy Court as President of the Municipal Council, the meeting which has been fixed for tomorrow for the election of the President and Vice-President may be postponed.

Yours

over

WD 01265—GPB—31,000—24-12-25

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it may be possible for you to circulate (perhaps you have already done so) the necessary notice for the special meeting to the Councillors in time for holding it a little before the ~~special meeting~~ main meeting ~~for tomorrow~~ and to give the subject of the Special meeting discussed before the latter meeting begins ~~[illegible]~~

Yours sincerely

RG
23/1
(Gene Seery)

23/1

[illegible]

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Bangalore, Dated

D. O. No.

12.

My dear Anantaraman,

I am sending herewith a copy of a representation made to the First Member of Council by certain members of the Tumkur Municipal Council requesting that, pending the discussion of their resolution regarding the appointment of the Deputy Commissioner as President of the --- Municipal Council, the meeting which has been fixed for to-morrow for the election of the President and Vice-President may be postponed

I am to state, in this connection, that it is open to the members interested in this matter to have this matter considered at the meeting to-morrow with the approval of the Legal Adviser, under Section

14 34[illegible]/28
24/1/28

No 166/27 28/Genl

Office of the President, Town Municipal Council, Tumkur
Dated Tumkur the, 24th January 1928

From

The President, Town Municipal Council
Tumkur

Rec 9403

To

The General Secretary to the Govt of
H H the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore

THROUGH - The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District

Sub

With reference to Government Order No L 3650/11 117-27-21 dated 21st/22nd December 1927 directing that a fresh election be held for the offices of the President and the Vice President of the Tumkur Town Municipality I have the honor to forward herewith for the information of Government a copy of the minutes of proceedings of the meeting of the Municipal Council held this morning for the purpose 3 Candidates were nominated for the office of President, namely Mr C Krishna Rao, Rev W H Spencer and Mr K Rangaiengar Rev W H Spencer and Mr C Krishna Rao expressed their unwillingness to stand for the election and withdrew their candidature Mr K Rangaiengar, the only candidate who was thus left was declared elected as President 3 candidates were nominated for the office of Vice President, namely Messrs - R Venkata Rao, B Mallappa and Desada Yejaman Siddappa Mr R Venkata Rao withdrew his candidature Mr Yejaman Siddappa who got the larger number of votes was declared elected

I shall submit a further report to Government after the period of one week allowed for the filing of objections is over

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

K. Chamarajaiengar
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER &
TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

AD 24/1

Proceedings of the meeting of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council held on Tuesday the 24th January 1928 in the Sri Krishnarajendra Town Hall at 8 A M

PRESENT : K V ANANTARAMAN ESQUIRE, B A ,
Deputy Commissioner & President

1 Mr G Mahammadali Saheb
2 " S K Setlur B A , LL B ,
3 " K Narayana Settru
4 " Desada Yejaman Siddappa
5 " Abdul Nabi Khan Saheb
6 " K Gangappa
7 " K Rangaiangar B A LL B ,
8 Rev W H Spencer
9 The Treasury Assistant Commissioner
10 The District Medical Officer
11 The Executive Engineer

THE REST WERE ABSENT

1 ELECTION OF PRESIDENT -

Resolution - Of the three candidates for the President's place two having withdrawn and there being only one Mr K Rangaiengar B A LL B left he is declared duly elected under Rule 5 proviso (2) of the election Rules (No L 3055 LI 207-27-1 dated 26th November 1927)

II ELECTION OF VICE PRESIDENT -

Resolution - Votes being taken for the Vice President the result was as follows -

For Mr B Mallappa 1 (one)
For Mr Desada Yejaman Siddappa 10 (ten)

Mr Yejaman Siddappa who got ten votes is declared elected

III Letter No 905 dated 16th January 1928 from the Executive Engineer Town Planning and Sanitary Division Bangalore intimating that water is likely to be let out by the end of this month
Resolution recorded

IV Letter from Mr B Raja Rao B A , LL B Advocate Tumkur intimating his opinion on the judgments announced in O S No 26-27 and O S 374/26-27 with copies of judgments

Resolution - Recorded No appeal need be filed as regards case stated may be

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taken to have the cost decreed collected by me in the execution of the order

Sd K V Annamalai
Deputy Commissioner & President
Town Municipal Council
Tuticorin

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President Municipal Council
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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
TUMKUR DISTRICT

D O No S R 16-28

Dated Tumkur the 28th January 1928

Dear Mr Ranga Rao,

In continuation of my D O letter No S R 16 of the 24th instant, I beg to state that the Special Meeting of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council to discuss the special proposition proposed by Mr R Venkata Rao and six other Municipal Councillors, which was arranged for this morning, could not be held for want of a quorum The meeting has, therefore, been adjourned to 1st February 1928 Six non-official members - all supporters of Mr C Krishna Rao and one official member were present No one of the other party attended

2. I am sending you officially, a copy of the proceedings of the meeting

Yours sincerely,

R Ranga Rao Esq BA
General Secretary

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
TUMKUR DISTRICT

No 1 Con Ag-1699-28 Dated Tumkur 30th January 192 8

FROM

K V ANANTARAMAN Esq BA
Deputy Commissioner Tumkur District
Tumkur

To

R. Ranga Rao Esq., B.A. B L ,
Asst Secretary to the Government of Mysore
General Department, *Bangalore*

Sir

I have the honour to forward, herewith, a copy of the Proceedings of the Special Meeting of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council, held on the 28th instant As -- there was no quorum, the Meeting was adjourned to 1st February 1928.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

S Ramaswamy
for Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur Dt
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Proceedings of the Special meeting of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council held on Saturday the 28th January 1928 in the Sree Krishnarajendra Town Hall at 8 30 A M

Present K V Anantharaman Esqr B A
Dy Cmr & President

1 Mr C Krishna Rao B A B L
2 " J Gurucharnabasavaraja
3 " R Venkata Rao
4 " Lakshmaiya
5 " Sangeeviah
6 " Padmarajaiah
7 " District Medical Officer
8 " B Mallappa

The rest were absent

" That in view of the strained feelings amongst most of the non official members of the Council, we resolve that the Government be requested to appoint the Deputy Commissioner as President till the close of the official year "

Resolution - wants till 8 50 No quorum adjourned to 1st February 1928 8 30 A M
Mr C Krishna Rao wants it to be adjourned to tomorrow or the day after, but I cannot accept the suggestion

Sd/ K V Anantharaman
Dy Cmr & President

" Copy "
Dy Cmr & President

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
TUMKUR DISTRICT

Confidential

No SR 160/1927-28 Dated Tumkur, 3rd February ... 1928

Encls: three petitions & one copy of proc

From

K. V ANANTARAMAN, Esq. B.A,
Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District,
Tumkur

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To

R Ranga Rao, Esquire, B.A , B L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General *Department,*
Bangalore.

Sir, Wl 117-27-27

In continuation of my demi-official letter to you dated 28th January 1928 intimating that the Special meeting of the Tumkur Municipal Council to consider the resolution brought by certain members, that for reasons stated the Deputy Commissioner be continued as the President of the Council till the close of the current official year, could not be held on the 28th January, I have the honor to report that the adjourned meeting was held on the 1st instant A copy of the proceedings of the meeting is submitted herewith. The resolution was passed, 8 members voting for and 7 against, the motion In regard to the resolution of the Council, I beg to state as follows -

(2) The application asking for the Special meeting was signed by seven persons, Viz Messrs C. Krishna Rao, T Guruchennabasavaih, T Gubbayya, T Padmarajaih, R Venkata Rao, Laxmayya, Sanjeevaih and Rev W H Spencer The first three are elected Councillors and the next four are nominated All of them are supporters of Messrs C Krishna Rao and T. Guruchannabasavaih and constitute, with the exception of Rev W.H Spencer, what is locally known as Mr Krishna Rao's party From the results of the poll it will be found that the eight persons who voted for the resolution are all Mr. Krishna Rao's friends. Of the seven members who voted against the proposition Messrs Setlur, Mahamadali, K Gangappa, Abdul Ali Khan, K. Narayana Setti, Desada Yejaman Siddappa and K Rangaiengar,

the first six are elected members and the last is a nominated member The members who voted against the resolution contended that it was only a tactical move on the part of Mr Krisnna Rao nd his friends to keep out others when they found that they could not bring in their own nominee as President

(3) There are certain circumstances which suggest that the application that the Deputy Commissioner be continued as President may not be bonafide and that it may after all, be only a tactical move on the part of Mr Krishna Rao and his party, to keep out others The party feeling - or ill-feeling between the members - whatever it may be called has been there all along for a few years in fact The first election after reconstitution was held in - September last when Messrs Krishna Rao and Guruchannabasavaih were elected The election was however not accepted by Government The notices for the meeting for the fresh election was issued on the 3rd January The resolution that the Deputy Commissioner be continued as President was brought forward only on the 22nd January two days before the election Mr C Krishna Rao stood as a candidate for the President's place being nominated by Messrs Padmarajaih and Venkata Rao and Rev W H Spencer was nominated by Messrs Guruchannabasavaih and Sanjeevaih Rev Spencer withdrew his candidature on the 21st January on the - ground that he was nominated without his knowledge or consent and that he did not like to stand for election in those circumstances It was only when Mr Krishna Rao and his friends found that Mr Krishna Rao could not for certain reasons stand for - election and that Rev Spencer who had been nominated by two of this party declined to offer himself for election that on the 22nd January, the application asking for a Special meeting to - consider the continuance of the Deputy Commissioner as President was put forward The circumstances are all against the view that the motion is genuine or bonafide

As r rese I am unable to -

to understand the point in fixing the close of the official year as the limit of the Deputy Commissioner's continuing as President Much as one would like to see the restoration of good feelings all - round I do not think that there is any reasonable or even a faint chance of that consummation coming to pass so soon The next - question is whether the Council can work as matters stand at present In regard to this it may be pointed out that in spite of the party feeling, the administration of the Municipality was carried on by Mr Krishna Rao without any serious difficulty There is no reason why the other party should not likewise carry on the work Neither party has an absolute majority Excluding Rev W H Spencer who may be expected to vote on all matters on their merits according to his own convictions Mr Krishna Rao has eight Councillors on his side and the other party also has a like number The deciding factor is the block of three votes of the ex-officio members and they will vote with those who are in the right There is thus no need to interfere on the ground of administrative requirements The party feeling will if anything be a healthy factor keeping every-one at his best A considerable amount of feeling is being created in the town on the subject of the resolution I enclose herein three petitions received by me from the rate-payers of three wards of the Municipality protesting against the acceptance of the resolution to bring in an official President and urging that the privilege of having a non-official President should not be withdrawn The introduction of the - Official President in such circumstances is not calculated to smoothen matters either for him or as between the parties

(5) In view of the foregoing circumstances I am of opinion that the resolution of the Council should not be sanctioned If the resolution is accepted, feelings between the parties will get more embittered The interests of all concerned would be adequately protected if a Chief Officer is appointed and I have already -

submitted

submitted this suggestion for the consideration of Government in my letter No S 1-115/27-28 dated 9th December 1927

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Your most obedient servant

K. Chandrasekharan

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Deputy Commissioner &
President Tumkur Town
Municipal Council

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From

The President

Town Municipal Council,

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To

The Deputy Commissioner,

Tumkur District

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Dated, Tumkur 1st February 1928

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Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of the resolution of the - Municipal Council Special adjourned meeti held on this day for your kind information

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Ypur most obedient servant

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President,
Town Municipal Council
TUMKUR

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TUMKUR TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY THE 1st FEBRUARY 1928 IN THE SREE KRISHNARAJENDRA TOWN HALL AT 8 30 A M

Present - K V Anantaraman, Esquire B A ,
Deputy Commissioner & President

1 Mr G Mohamadali Sahib
2 " S K Setlur B A LL B ,
3 " K Narayana Settru
4 " Desada Yejaman Siddappa
5 " Abdul Nabi Khan Sahib,
6 " K Gangappa
7 " T Guruchennabasavaih
8 " C Krishna Rao B A , B L ,
9 " B Mallappa
10 Rev W H Spencer
11 Mr T Padmarajaih
12 " Sanjeeviah
13 " K Rangaiengar B A , LL B ,
14 " R Venkata Rao,
15 " Lakshmayya,
16 The Treasury Assistant Commissioner

THE REST WERE ABSENT,

Subject - " That in view of the strained feelings amongst most of the non-official members of the Council we resolve that the Government be requested to appoint the Deputy - Commissioner as President till the close of the official year

Resolution - Resolution was moved by Mr C Krishna Rao B A ,B L and seconded by Mr R Venkata Rao & by Mr T Padmarajaiah After discussion the - resolution was put to vote 8 voting for and 7 against A poll by Rangai LL.B., it was taken

with the following result —

Voting for

1 Mr C Krishna Rao, B A B L ,
2 " T Padmarajaih
3 " R Venkata Rao,
4 " T Guruchennabasavaiah
5 " Sanjeeviah
6 Rev W H Spencer
7 Mr B Mallappa
8 " Lakshmayya

Voting against

1 Mr S K Setlur, B A LL B ,
2 " G Mohamadali Sahib
3 " K Rangaiengar B A , LL B
4 " K Gangappa,
5 " Abdul Nabi Khan Sahib
6 " K Narayana Settru
7 " Desada Yejaman Siddappa

Sd K V Anantaraman,
Deputy Commissioner
&
President
Town Municipal Council Tumkur

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Deputy Commissioner &
President,
Town Municipal Council, Tumkur

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
TUMKUR DISTRICT

Dated Tumkur 3rd February 1928

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From

K. V ANANTARAMAN Esq B A
Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District,
Tumkur

To

R Ranga Rao, Esquire, B A , B L ,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
General *Department*
Bangalore

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No G1 9403/27-28 dated 24th January 1928 forwarding to you for the information of Government a copy of the proceedings of the meeting of the Municipal - Council, Tumkur held on 24th January last to elect the President and the Vice President of the Council, I have the honor to report as follows --

(2) The period of seven days allowed by the rules for filing objections relating to the validity of the election expired on the 31st January On the 30th January, two objection petitions were received both signed by Messrs C Krishna Rao, T Guruchennabasavaiah and B Mallappa, Municipal Councillors One petition purports to relate to the election of the President and the other to that of the Vice President As the election of the President and the Vice President took place at the same meeting and the - grounds on which the election in both cases is sought to be invalidated are identical, the objections may be examined and dealt with together The petitions were posted for hearing on the 1st instant when the petitioners and the opponents were heard

(3) I enclose herein a statement showing the objections put forward by the petitioners and my opinion in regard to their acceptability or otherwise For reasons stated in detail therein, I am of opinion that the objecti are not sound or maintainable

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From

The Deputy Commissioner,

Tumkur District Tumkur.

To

The Secretary to the Govt of

H H the Maharaja of Mysore

General Department,

Bangalore

Dated, Tumkur, the 3rd Feb 1928

Date of despatched 3 2 28

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Enclosures Two objection and a note dealing the objections

(4) I therefore recommend that the objection petitions may be rejected and that the results of the election held on the 24th January 1928 may be duly notified

(5) A resolution was brought forward by some members of the Municipal Council that in view of the differences between some - members, the Deputy Commissioner may continue as President of the Municipality till the end of the current official year A special meeting was arranged to discuss the question on the 28th January, but it could not be held for want of quorum It was therefore - adjourned to the 1st instant I am submitting to Government - separately to-day the proceedings of the adjourned meeting together with my opinion in the matter

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Your most obedient servant

K. Chamtaramaiah 3.2.1928

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
TUMKUR DISTRICT

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BEFORE THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
Tumkur District,
T U M K U R

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Election Petition No of 1927-28

Pet 1447
27-28.

Petitioners - (1) Mr C Krishna Rao, Advocate and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

(2) " T.Guruchannabasaviah, Landholder and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

(3) " B Mallappa, merchant and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

VS

Opponent:- Mr K Ranga Iyengar, Advocate and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

Under Rule 7 of the Rules, framed under Sub-section (2) of Section 25 of the Municipal Regulation, 1906, the Petitioners above-named, beg to state -

I That the election of the President of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council was held on 24th January 1928, at which, Mr K Ranga Iyengar, the Opponent, was declared to be duly elected as President

II That the under-signed Councillors request that the above declaration, be sent to Government to be declared invalid for the following reasons -

(1) After notices were issued to the effect that the meeting of the Council, for the election of the President and the Vice-President, would be held on 24th January 1928, seven Municipal Coun-

Councillors, sent in a requisition to the Deputy Commissioner, who was performing the functions of the President, to call for a special meeting of the Council to consider the question, "that in the present circumstances, the Government be requested to appoint the Deputy Commissioner as President" and also to postpone the election fixed for the 24th of January 1928

(2) In compliance with this requisition a special meeting was notified to be held on the 28th of January 1928, and notices to that effect were circulated on the evening of the 25rd, which led some of the Municipal Councillors to believe that the meeting notified to beheld on the 24th January 1928, was postponed Later, notices to the effect that the meeting on the 24th would not be adjourned, were issued only to a few of the Municipal Councillors, and even amongst them, some were not served till about 8 A M , on the 24th and consequently, they could not attend the meeting held that day

(3) Under Rule 4, the Councillors present, had to elect one amongst themselves, to preside over the meeting Contrary to this Rule, no President was elected for the meeting and the Deputy Commissioner presided over it and hence the whole of the proceedings of the meeting are 'ab initio' void

(4) The word used in Rule 4, is "Councillors", and hence, the number of the non-official members present at the meeting should be, at least 10 As a matter of fact, there were only 8 of them present, and as the meeting was, therefore, without

without a proper quorum, the business transacted at the meeting is invalid

(5) The presence of the official members could not be taken into consideration, for the purposes of the election meeting

(6) When the question of there being an elected President, at all, for the Council, was pending before it, the election of the President is irregular

For the above reasons, the Petitioners above-named, pray, that an enquiry be held, under Rule 8 of the Election Rules, and the election records submitted to Government for orders, declaring the election invalid and setting it aside

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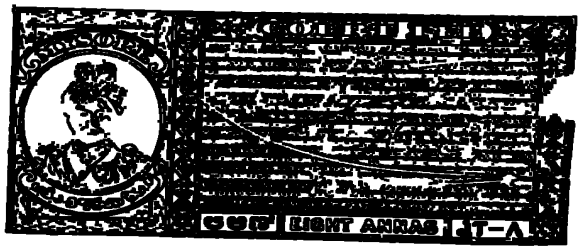
for Petitioners



IN THE COURT OF THE Deputy Commissioner OF TUMKUR.

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C Krishna Rao
T Gurusiddamba Veerad
S Mallappa

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K Ranga Iyengar

Dr. Lady Clerk Amt T Subramanya

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C Krishna Rao
T Gurusiddamba Veerad
S Mallappa

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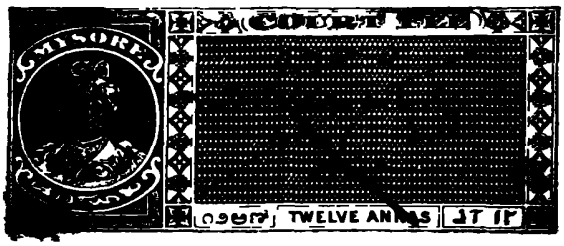

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BEFORE THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
Tumkur District,
T U M K U R

Pet 1446
27-28

Election Petition No of 1927-28

Petitioners – (1) Mr C Krishna Rao, Advocate and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

(2) " T Guruchannabasaviah, Land-holder and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

(3) " B Mallappa, merchant and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

VS

Opponent:– Mr Yajaman Siddappa, merchant and Municipal Councillor, resident of Tumkur

Under Rule 7 of the Rules framed under Sub-section 4 of Section 25 of the Municipal Regulation, 1906, the Petitioners, above-named, beg to state –

I That the election of the Vice-President of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council, was held on 24th January 1928 The opposing candidates were Messrs B Mallappa and Yajaman Siddappa, and the latter was declared to be duly elected by 10 votes to 1

II That the under-signed Councillors request that the above declaration, be sent to Government to be declared invalid for the following reasons –

(1) After notices were issued to the effect that the meeting of the Council, for the election of

of the President and the Vice-President, would be held on 24th January 1928; seven Municipal Councillors, sent in a requisition to the Deputy Commissioner, who was performing the functions of the President, to call for a special meeting of the Council, to consider the question "that in the present circumstances, the Government be requested to appoint the Deputy Commissioner as President" and also to postpone the election fixed for the 24th of January 1928

(2) In compliance with this requisition, a special meeting was notified to be held on the 24th of January 1928, and notices to that effect were circulated on the evening of the 23rd, which led some of the Councillors to believe that the meeting notified to be held on the 24th of January 1928, was postponed Later, notices, to the effect that the meeting on the 24th would not be adjourned, were issued, only a few of the Municipal Councillors, and even amongst them, some were not served till A M , on the 24th, and consequently, they could not attend the meeting held that day Even the candidate, Mr Mallanna, had no notice that the meeting would not be adjourned, and was therefore himself absent from the meeting

(3) Under Rule 4, since there was no President, the Councillors present, should have elected one amongst themselves, who was not a candidate, to preside over the meeting Contrary to this Rule, no President was elected for the meeting and the Deputy Commissioner presided over it hence the whole of the proceedings of the meeting

meeting are 'ab initio' void

(4) The word used in Rule 4, is "Councillors", and hence, the number of the Non-official members present at the meeting should be at least 10 As a matter of fact, there were only 8 of them present, and as the meeting was therefore, without a proper quorum, the business, transacted at the meeting is invalid

(5) The presence of the official members, could not be taken into consideration, for the purposes of the election meeting.

(6) At the meeting, the ex-officio members, who had no right to vote, did vote and as such, the election is invalid

(7) The procedure adopted at the meeting, for taking votes, viz , show of hands, was irregular and prejudicial to one of the candidates, Mr Mallappa, specially because, he was absent from the meeting

(8) For the above reasons, the Petitioners, above-named, pray, that an enquiry be held under Rule 8 of the Election Rules, and the election records submitted to Government, for orders, declaring the election, invalid and setting it aside

20-1-1938

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IN THE COURT OF THE ~~Addl~~ Prl

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C Krishna Rao

J Gurucharnabasarral

B Mallappa

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Yajaman Siddappa

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I Padmanabha and T Srikantaiya

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ಈ ಮೊಕದ್ದಮೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನನ್ನ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕೆ ~~ಹೈ~~ ಹಾಜರಾಗಿ ತಜವೇಜರ ಕೌಂಟ್ರ ಎಗಾದಿ ಪೈಸಲ್ ಹೊಂದತಕ್ಕ ಬಗ್ಯೂ ನನಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲತಕ್ಕ ಡಿಕ್ರಿ ಮೌಬಜಗಿಗೆ ಜಾರಿಕ್ರವ ನಡಿಸತಕ್ಕ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪಸ್ತ ವಜ ವಗ್ಗೈತಿ ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಂಡು ಪೀತಿ ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಕೊ ಟ್ಟಿನಿಂದ ವಾಪಸ ಆಗತಕ್ಕ ದ ಾಸ್ತ್ರವು ಪೈಸ ಸ್ವಾಂಪು ಸ್ವಾಧೀನತ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಡಿಕ್ರಿ ಮೊಬಲಗು ಮಗೆರ ಇತರವಧವ ವ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಮೊಬಲಗುಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆಸ ಕೊಳ್ಳುವಕ್ಕೂ ಸಹ ತಕ್ಷುಗೆ ಇದರಿಂದ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದೆ ನೆ ಆಪ್ರರಿಂದ ತಾವಾಗಲಿ ತಿದವ ತಮಗೂ ಸ್ವರ ನುತ್ಪಾವ ಆಯರ್ಗಾಗಲಿ ಕೋರ್ಟ್‌ಗೆ ಹಾಜರಾಗಿ ನಡಿಸುವ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಕೆಲಸಗಳನ್ನು ನಾನ ಮುವ್ವ ಇಮ್ಮು ನಡಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಒಪ್ಪಲ ಇದರಿಂದ ಬದ್ಧನಾಗಿರುತ್ತೆ ನೆ

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The proceedings of the election eting held on the 24th January - invalid as under Rule 4 of the es relating to the election of ident to a Town Municipal - cil, the Councillors present - to elect one amongst themselves preside over the meeting No ident was so elected and the - ty Commissioner presided over meeting This renders the - ceedings ab initio void	The objection taken is not maintainable Under Section 23 Clause 5 of the Mysore Municipal Regulation, during the period intervening between the reconstitution of a Municipal - Council at District Head Quarters and the election or nomination as the case may be of a President, the Deputy - Commissioner is required to perform the functions of the President until the properly appointed President enters on his duties It is further stated in this Section that the Deputy Commissioner shall so perform the functions of President notwithstanding anything contained in the Municipal Regulation or in the Rules thereunder Section 24 Clause 1 lays down " It shall be the duty of the President of a Municipal Council to preside,unless prevented by reasonable cause at all meetings of the Municipal Council" The Deputy - Commissioner is the President of the Municipality at present under Section 2 Clause (5) It is his obligatory duty as such President to preside at all meetings of the Municipal Council The Deputy r's presiding over

the meeting of 24th is the only legal arrangement possible under the Regulatio As regards para 4 of the Rules for the election of the President it only appli when the Deputy Commissioner is unable to preside Rule 4 cannot be interprete so as to over-rule the provisions of the Regulation

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II Objection

Notices of the Special meeting held on the 28th January to consider the suggestion to make the Deputy Commissioner as President were circulated the evening of the 23rd - January Notices that the - election meeting arranged for the 24th January would not be adjourned, were issued onlyto a few of the Municipal - Councillors and even as regards the latter some were not served till 8 A M on 24th January'28

The point of this objection is that some members were under the impression that the election meeting arranged for the 24th January would not be held on that day in view of the resolution - brought forward by some members that the Deputy Commissioner should continue as President till the end of the curren official year The objection petitions do not contain the names of the persons who were so misled The petitioners - wanted an enquiry on this point but it was not considered necessary as the facts were apparent from the records The Municipal Council consists of 20 members of whom 11 were present at the meeting held on the 24th January The following 9 members were absent :-

1 Mr Ponnuswami Modaliyar
2 " C Krishna Rao
3 " T Guruchannabasavaih
4 " T Padmarajaih
5 " R Venkata Rao
6 " Sanjeevaih
7 " Laxmayya
8 " Mallappa
9 " Gubbayya

The first of them Mr Ponnuswami Mudaliyar was not in the station on that not be cons

He was not a signatory to the request for the Special meeting and could not obviously have known of the application As regards the 7 signatories to the - petition Messrs C Krishna Rao, R Venkata Rao T Guruchannabasavaih Sanjeevaih Laxmayya T Padmarajaih and Rev W H Spencer all of them were given endorsements, that their request for the adjournment of the lection - meeting notifed for the 24th January could not be complied with, and that the election meeting would be held as - notified All except two of them were served on the night of the 23rd January and the two others who could not be got at that night were served next morning at 6 30 i e an hour and half before the meeting As regards Messrs Mallappa and Gubbayya they had been given notice of the election meeting only they were not signatories to the application for the special meeting and were therefore not entitled to any notice in respect of an application presented by others -- Further, I cannot believe that they could have been ignorant of the fact that the election meeting would be held as arranged Mr Krishna Rao saw me at 7 A M or the 24th January and wanted to know if I would allow his proposition to be considered at the meeting before the e n up. I told him

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him that I would consider the matter and decide after consulting the Council. He left me saying that he would not attend the meeting I told him that if he kept away from the meeting he would do so at his own risk. When Mr. Krishna Rao left me , I saw Mr Mallappa standing near the gate. He is a partisan of Mr Krishna Rao and and he was apparently waiting to ascertain the result of Mr Krishna Rao's interview with me It cannot be seriously contended that Mr. Krishna Rao would not have told him that the meeting would go on. Further I understand that he was present in Mr. Guruchannabasavaih's house when the notice declining to adjourn the election was served on the latter As regards Mr. Gubbayya, he is a brother of Mr Guruchannabasavaih one of the leading lights of Mr. Krishna Rao's party. He also could not have been ignorant of the position It may also be noticed in this connection that the alleged misapprehension is confined to Mr. Krishna Rao's partisans In view of the foreging facts, it will be apparent that the contention that the absentees were under the impression that the meeting would not be held on the 24th is frivolous and in correct.

III Objection.

It is contended that the word " Councillor " used in Rule 4 of the Election Rules applies only to non-official Councillors

Remarks.

The term"Councillor" has been defined in Section 3 Clause 2 as follows:-
" A Councillor shall mean any person legally a member of the Municipal Council constituted under this Regulation"

It is contended on behalf of the objecting members that this definition applied only to members appointed by name and did not include members appointed by their official designation. A perusal of Section 10 will make the absurdity of this contention apparent. Section 10 says that a Municipal Council shall consist of (a) elected Councillors,(b) nominated Councillors if any, that is to say (1) such persons as from to time are by name appointed in this behalf or (2) are executing the functions of any office from time to time notified in this behalf by the Government It will thus be seen that there are only 2 classes of Councillors- elected Councillors and nominated Councillors- and that the nomination may be made either by discribing a person by name or by indicating a person occupying a certain office The contention under this head only betrays ignorance of provisions of the Regulation.

IV Objection.-

The Ex-officio members cannot be counted for the quorum at the election meeting nor are they entitled to vote

Remarks.

The Ex-officio members are entitled to be considered to determine the quorum and they are also eligible to vote

vote There was a disqualification to vote for election under the previous rules, but this provision has been - abandoned, in the new rules. No - special quorum is fixed for election meetings and so the usual quorum applies Viz one half of the whole number of - Councillors There was quorum at the election meeting as 11 members out of 20 were present.

V Objection.

When the question of electing a President was pending before the Council, the election of the - President was irregular.

Remarks.

This proposition is not maintainable A few members of the Council belonging to one party have not the right, nor can they with any degree of reason claim, to suspend the - natural course of events, because of a resolution that they bring forward. Such a resolution can be considered only after it is adopted. In the present case, not only are the - signatories, members of one party but they actually attempted to put up two members to contest the President's place It was only when Mr Krishna Rao found it necessary to retire and Rev W H Spencer refused to stand on the ground that his nomination was made without his knowledge and - consent, that the demand for the - Special meeting was sent in The suggestion to continue the Deputy Commissioner as President does not

not strike me as bonafide It seems to be merely a tactical move on the part of Mr Krishna Rao and his friends to keep out others when they found that they could not put up a man of their own for the place of President

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procedure adopted at the eting to take votes by " show f hands" was irregular and - ejudicial to Mr Mallappa as was absent from the meeting

Remarks

No particular mode of voting is prescribed for the present case In the old rules the election had to be by ballot This provision has been - abandoned in the new rules " When the mode of voting is not prescribed the common law method of voting by show of hands must prevail" (Vide Doraswami Iyengar's Municipal Law Vol III page 61)

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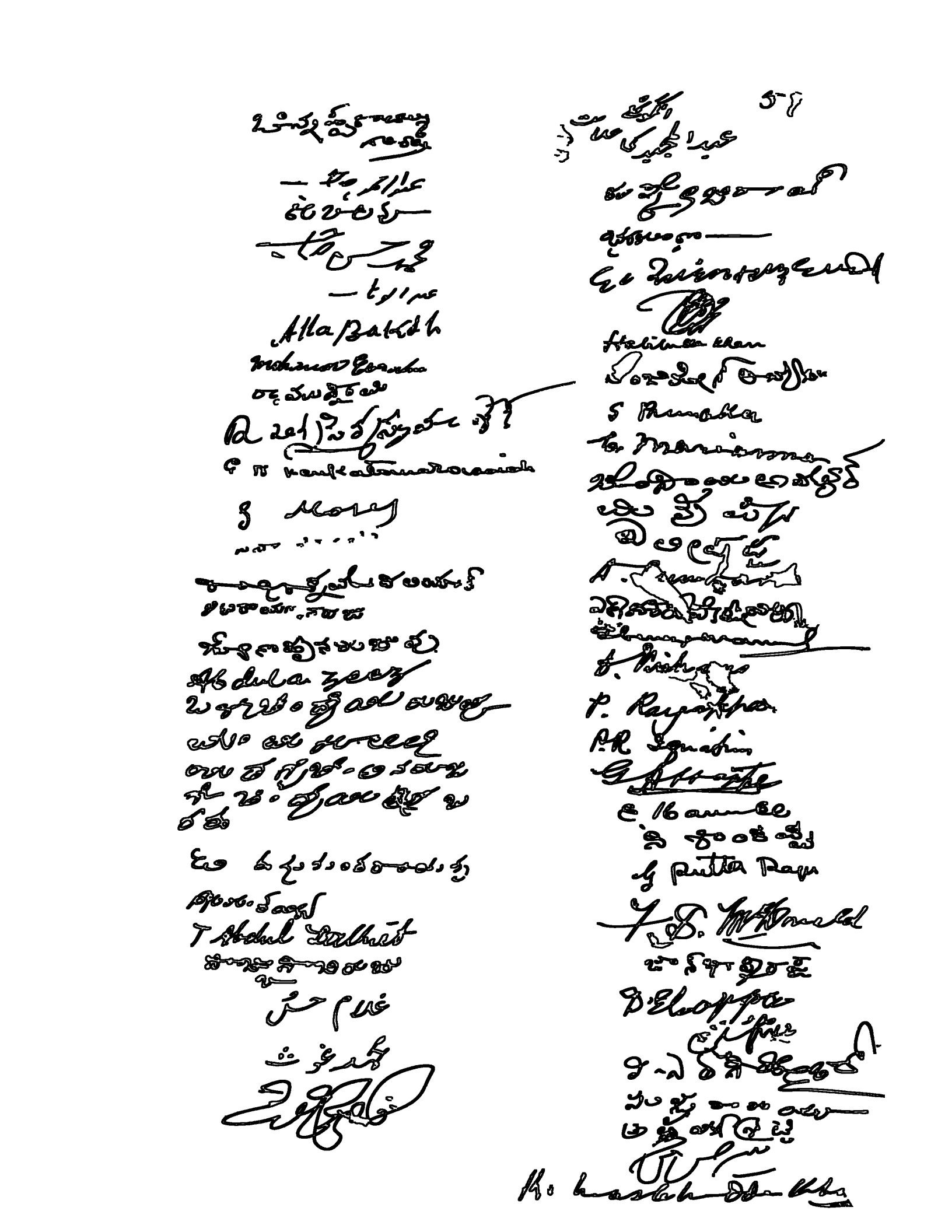
Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District



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To

Sir Charles Todhunter,

Private Secretary to His Highness the

Maharaja of Mysore, M Y S O R E.

Respected Sir,

We the citizens of Tumkur beg to bring to your benign consideration the following with the full hope that interested as you are in the welfare of the dumb millions of your people due weight will be given to our prayer and it would not fall into deaf ears.

Your honour might be aware that during the past six months, Tumkur Municipality has been divided into factions each backed by a small section of influential gentlemen. While the large mass of the poor and innocent ryots are thus sitting as it were between two stools.

The schemes of water supply and electric lighting - recently sanctioned by the Government for the Municipality will not be satisfactorily carried out by the present Municipal administration. They are creating a deadlock everywhere and the poor people find it extremely difficult to - pull on peacefully.

Therefore we earnestly pray that the only course in our opinion left open to us is to see that the management of the Municipality be taken over by the Government, at least till the destructive influences of the Municipality be extinguished. Hoping that the interests of the dumb millions will not be overlooked.

With due respects,

We beg to remain,

Respected Sir,

Your most obedient servants

Tumkur,

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Copy of the above is forwarded to First Member of Council for information and necessary action please.

All Reverends attached to the Mission of are also expecting eagerly the interest you would have in this

Signed by Citizens above 150.

Hundred and above

We beg to remain

Your obedient Servants

Roma Roa & Petr

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The suggestion of the 7th and 8th directors of Jinnah Town that the municipal administration is not satisfactory owing to factions and party that the administration may be taken over by Govt.

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To

Amin-ul-mulk Mirza M Ismail, B A , C I E , O B E ,

Dewan of Mysore,

B A N G A L O R E

Respected Sir,

We, the under-signed residents of Tumkur, Town, beg to bring the following few lines, for your sympathetic consideration and favourable orders -

1. The election of the President and the Vice-President of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council, was held, for the 1st time on 7-9-1937, when Messrs C Krishna Rao and T Guruchannabasaviah, were elected as Presidemnt and Vice-President, respectively, where-upon, Messrs K Ranga Iyengar and some others filed an election petition before the Deputy Commissioner and Messrs C Lakshmma Rao and Abdul Nabi Khan filed election suits before the District Judge, Bangalore and applications before Government

2 The election referred to above, was not approved of, by the Government and in the re-election that was held on 24-1-1938, Messrs K Ranga Iyengar and Yajaman Siddappa, were elected as President and Vice-President, respectively as no one else contested it, being quite disgusted with the unhealthy litigation to which public workers were being subjected to

3. That the interest of the Town of Tumkur, is quite lost sight of, in this interested struggle between the two

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two parties and the public of Tumkur have got to look upon this unhealthy and interested strife, quite helplessly

4. Knowing and realising all this trouble, Messrs Rev: W.Spencer and some other Councillors, sent up a resolution to the Deputy Commissioner, before the re-election, of the President and the Vice-President, to the effect that the Deputy Commissioner should be appointed as the President and this resolution was subsequently, passed by a majority, in the Municipal Council

5. The public of Tumkur have had the experience of these, who are declared elected as President and Vice-President

6. At a time when two big schemes, one of water and the other of light, are about to be introduced in to the Town, we, the under-signed are very much afraid of these representatives of the people in matters of fresh taxation and other things Out of 15,000 people, who reside in the Town, not more than 1,000 people are capable of understanding all these intricacies of council fights The lot of the other 14,000 is really pitiable and the Government is the only source of help for them

7 For the above reasons, we, the under-signed residents of Tumkur, humbly and respectfully pray, that the Deputy Commissioner, and if he cannot be spared, the Treasury Assistant Commissioner, may kindly be appointed as President of the Municipality, in preference to the so-called representatives of the people, who are more after their own personal prestige and party success, than the good of the public, as is clearly shown by their fights during the past 6 months

8 Trusting that the earnest prayer of the helpless

helpless public of Tumkur, would find redress at your gracious hands.

We beg to remain,
Respected Sir,
Your most obedient servants,

Copy of the same petition

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OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE

1928.

No. 2704

NAME OF PETITIONER [illegible]

VERSUS Tumkur Town

TALUK [illegible]

DISTRICT [illegible]

DATE OF PETITION —

DATE OF RECEIPT 25 2 28

No. OF ENCLOSURES nil

ABSTRACT

Represent that the work of the municipality is suffering a good deal owing to the election disputes remaining yet undisposed of. They pray that Government may be pleased to appoint an official president in order to relieve of their difficulties

Submitted

Rdy
25/2

General Secretary
With compliments
Rdy
M R Rg 9/2/28

PRIVATE SECRETARY
TO THE DEWAN OF MYSORE

Rdy
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Rule 55 Election
(4-3-28)
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regarding the abbreviated
Procedure & this Procedure
the Tumkur Municipal
Council approved this petition
to be placed in the
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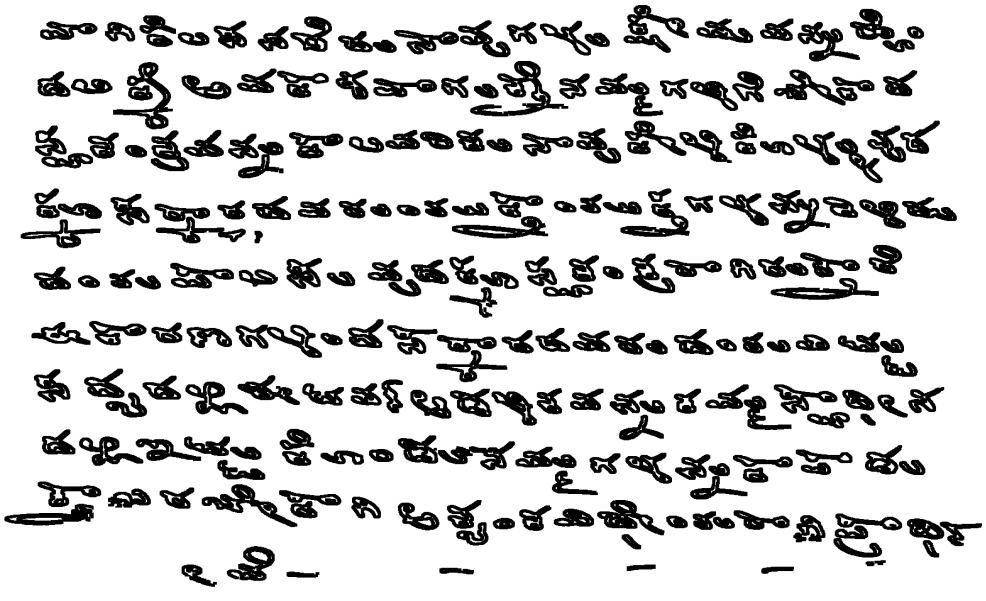

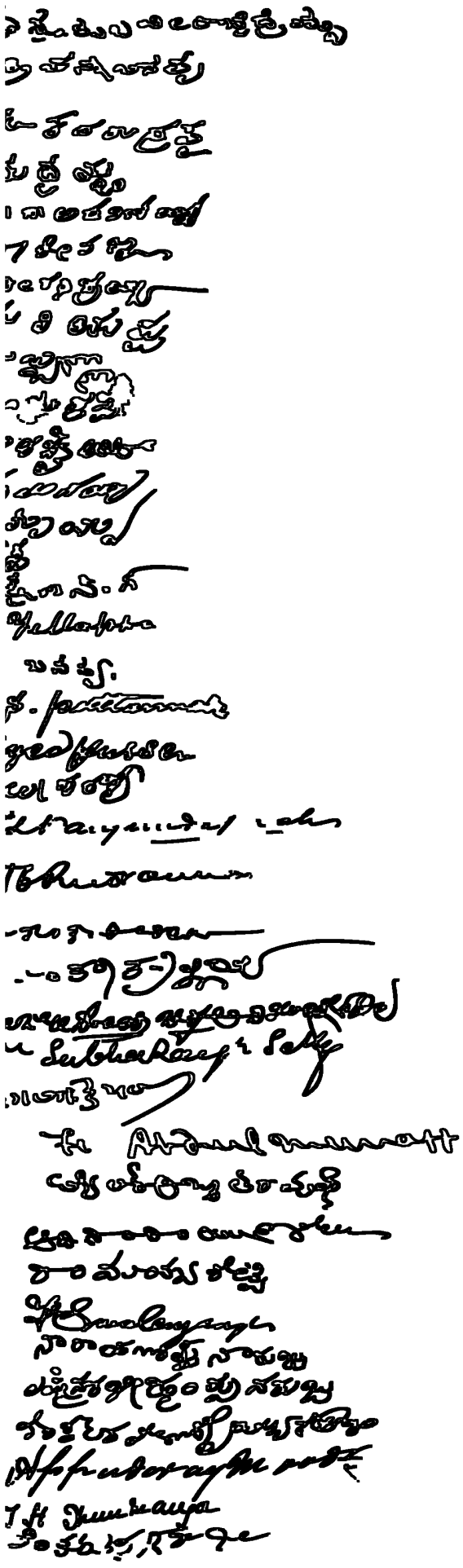

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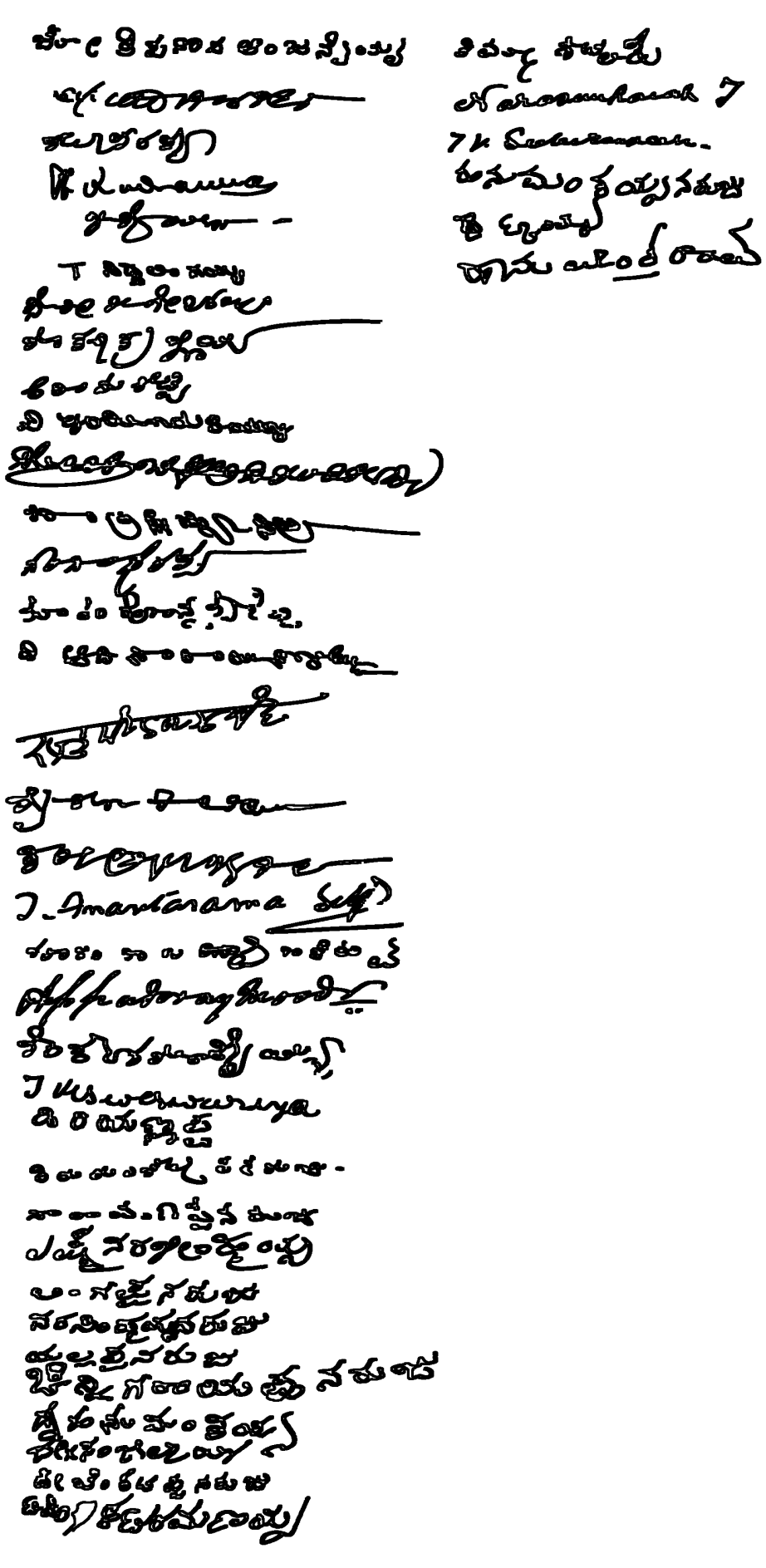

To

Amin-ul-mulk Mirza M. Ismail, B.A., C I.E , O B E ,

Dewan of Mysore,

B A N G A L O R E

Respected Sir,

We, the under-signed residents of Tumkur, Town, beg to bring the following few lines, for your sympathetic consideration and favourable orders -

1 The election of the President and the Vice-President of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council, was held, for the 1st time on 7-9-1927, when Messrs C Krishna Rao and T Guruchannabasaviah, were elected as Presidennt and Vice-President, respectively, where-upon, Messrs K Ranga Iyengar and some others filed an election petition before the Deputy Commissioner and Messrs C Lakshmana Rao and Abdul Nabi Khan filed election suits before the District Judge, Bangalore and applications before Government

2 The election referred to above, was not approved of, by the Government and in the re-election that was held on 24-1-1928, Messrs K Ranga Iyengar and Yajaman Siddappa, were elected as President and Vice-President, respectively as no one else contested it, being quite disgusted with the unhealthy litigation to which public workers were being subjected to

3 That the interest of the Town of Tumkur, is quite lost sight of, in this interested struggle between the two

two parties and the public of Tumkur have got to look upon this unhealthy and interested strife, quite helplessly

4. Knowing and realising all this trouble, Messrs Rev: W.Spencer and some other Councillors, sent up a resolution to the Deputy Commissioner, before the re-election, of the President and the Vice-President, to the effect that the Deputy Commissioner should be appointed as the President and this resolution was subsequently, passed by a majority, in the Municipal Council

5. The public of Tumkur have had the experience of those, who are declared elected as President and Vice-President

6 At a time when two big schemes, one of water and the other of light, are about to be introduced in to the Town, we, the under-signed are very much afraid of these representatives of the people in matters of fresh taxation and other things Out of 15,000 people, who reside in the Town, not more than 1,000 people are capable of understanding all these intricacies of council fights The lot of the other 14,000 is really pitiable and the Government is the only source of help for them

7 For the above reasons, we, the under-signed residents of Tumkur, humbly and respectfully pray, that the Deputy Commissioner, and if he cannot be spared, the Treasury Assistant Commissioner, may kindly be appointed as President of the Municipality, in preference to the so-called representatives of the people, who are more after their own personal prestige and party success, than the good of the public, as is clearly shown by their fights during the past 6 months

8 Trusting that the earnest prayer of the helpless

eipless public of Tumkur, would find redress at your gracious hands,

We beg to remain,

Respected Sir,

Your most obedient servants,

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547/ ane 118 27-30
dt 13-3-28

Notification

Messrs K Ranga Iyengar, B A , L T , and Yejaman Sillappa are declared duly elected as President and Vice-President, respectively, of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council

" By order,"

RR 5/3/28
20/3/28 General Secretary to Govt

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Copy forwarded with compliments to the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, with reference to the correspondence ending with letter No S R 10 of 1927-28 dated 3rd February 1928

" By order,"

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20/3/28 for General Secretary to Govt

5/3/28 KG/S

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5549/ame 117-27-30
13-3-24

To

The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District

Sir,

With reference to notifi - tion No 5547/ame 117-27-30 dated 13-3-24 declaring the election of Mr K Rama Iyengar, B A LL B as President of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council, I am directed to state that Government consider that the appointment of a Chief Officer for the Municipality is necessary and I am accordingly to request you kindly place the matter before the Municipal Council and submit the resolution of the Council in the matter at a very early date

I have etc

General Secretary to Gov

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,

No L. 5647-8/mcl
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General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 13 - 8.- 1980 74

NOTIFICATION

Messrs. K. Ranga Iyengar, B.A., LL.B., and Rajaman Siddaiyya are declared duly elected as President and Vice President, respectively, of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council.

By Order,

For General Secretary to Government.

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